

Texas Department of Public Safety Texas Division of Emergency Management

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Situation Awareness Brief

Saturday, April 4th 2015
As of 0900 CST

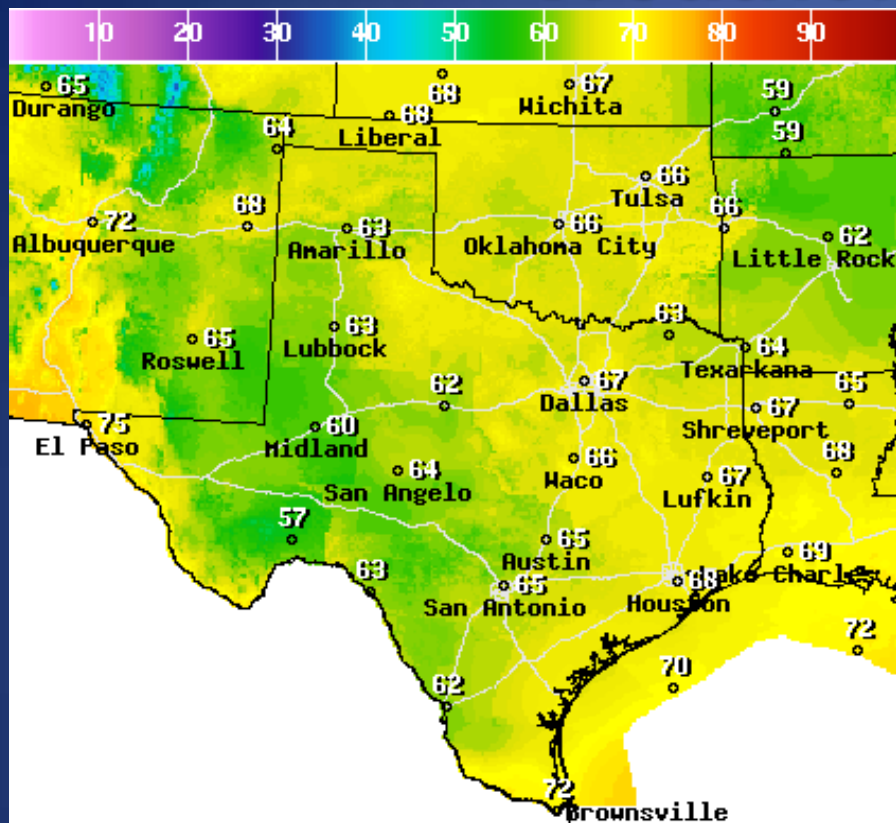


Informational Products

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DATE	SUBJECT
04/03/15	NWS Norman: Weather Update
04/03/15	FEMA Region 6 Daily Situation Awareness Report
04/03/15	UPDATED FEMA Region 6 Daily Situation Awareness Report
04/03/15	Preliminary Earthquake Report (M3.3) in Western Texas 040315
04/04/15	Daily NWS Threat Brief for Saturday, April 4, 2015 for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast



High Temperature(F) Ending Sat Apr 04 2015 8PM EDT
(Sun Apr 05 2015 00Z)



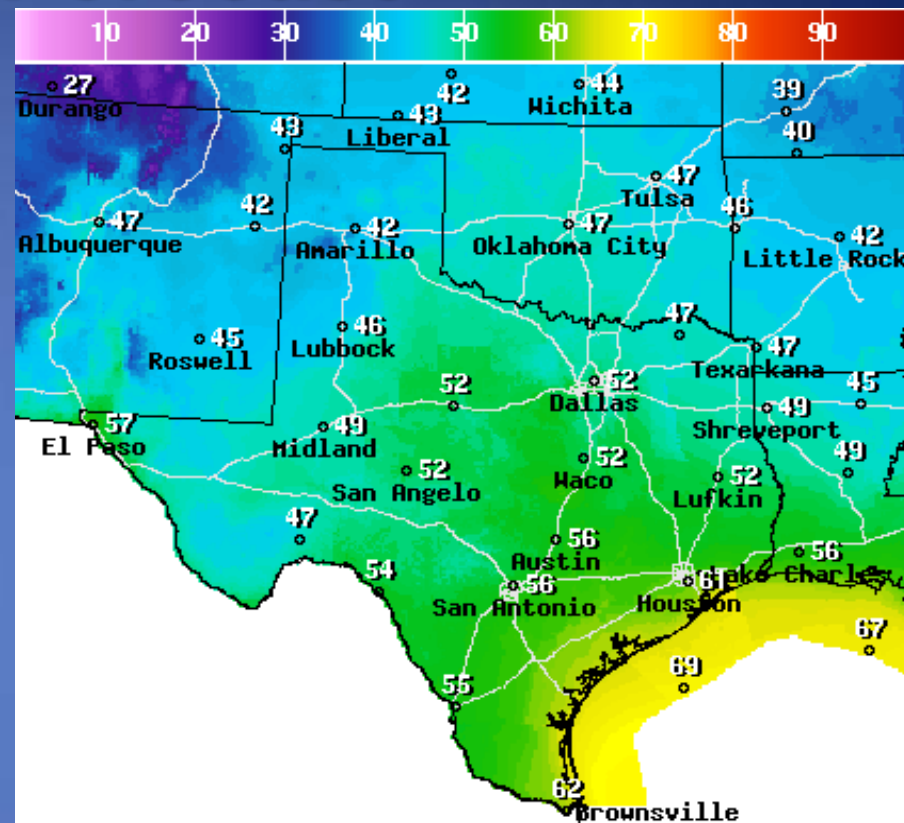
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Highs



Low Temperature(F) Ending Sun Apr 05 2015 8AM EDT
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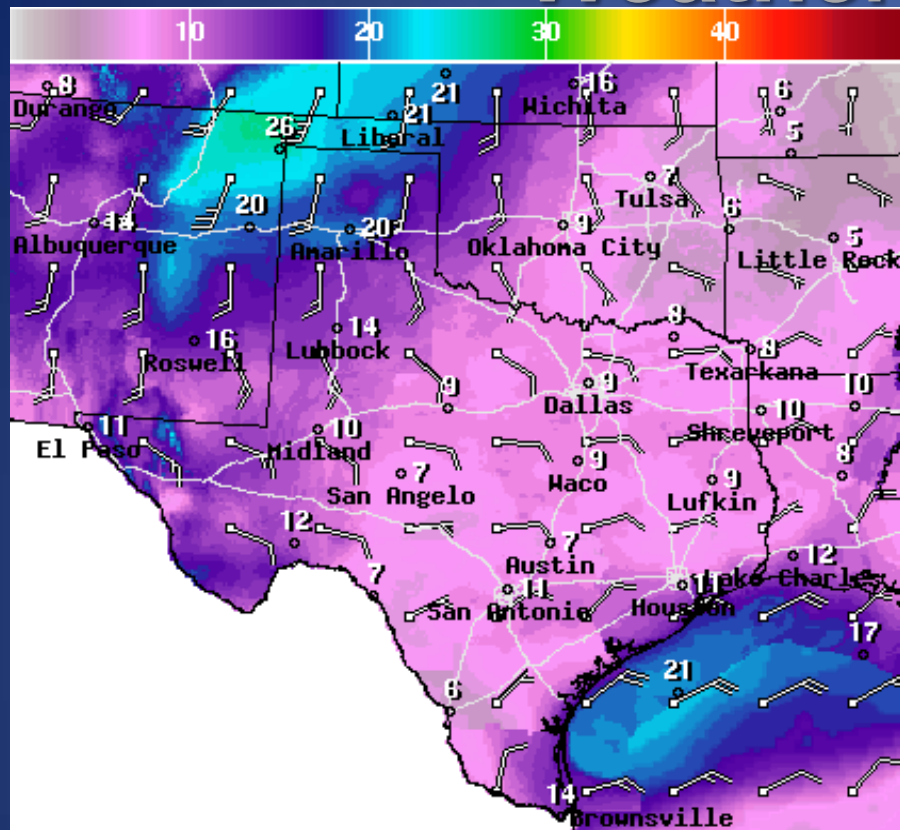
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Lows

Weather Forecast



WindSpd(Kts) & WindDir For Sat Apr 04 2015 5PM EDT
(Sat Apr 04 2015 21Z)



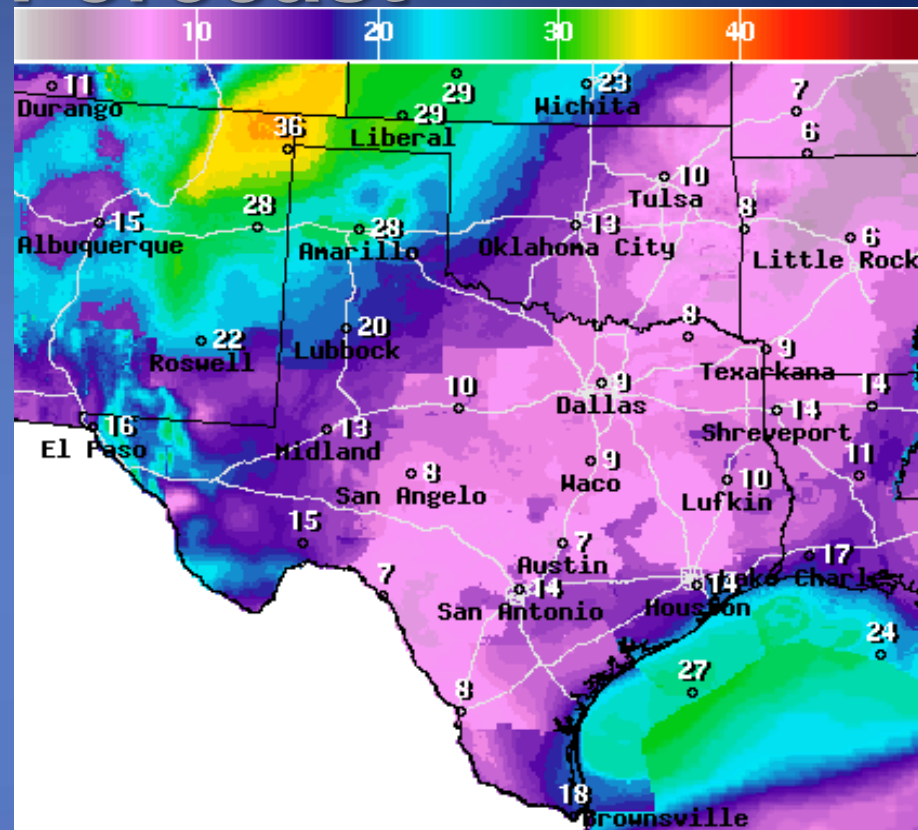
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Wind Speeds



Wind Gust(Kts) Sat Apr 04 2015 5PM EDT
(Sat Apr 04 2015 21Z)



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Gusts

Hazardous Weather

Day 1 Weather Hazards
Valid: 0800 Sat - 0800 Sun

**Elevated to critical fire
weather conditions.**



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Hazardous Weather

Day 2-3 Weather Hazards

Valid: 0800 Sun - 0800 Tue

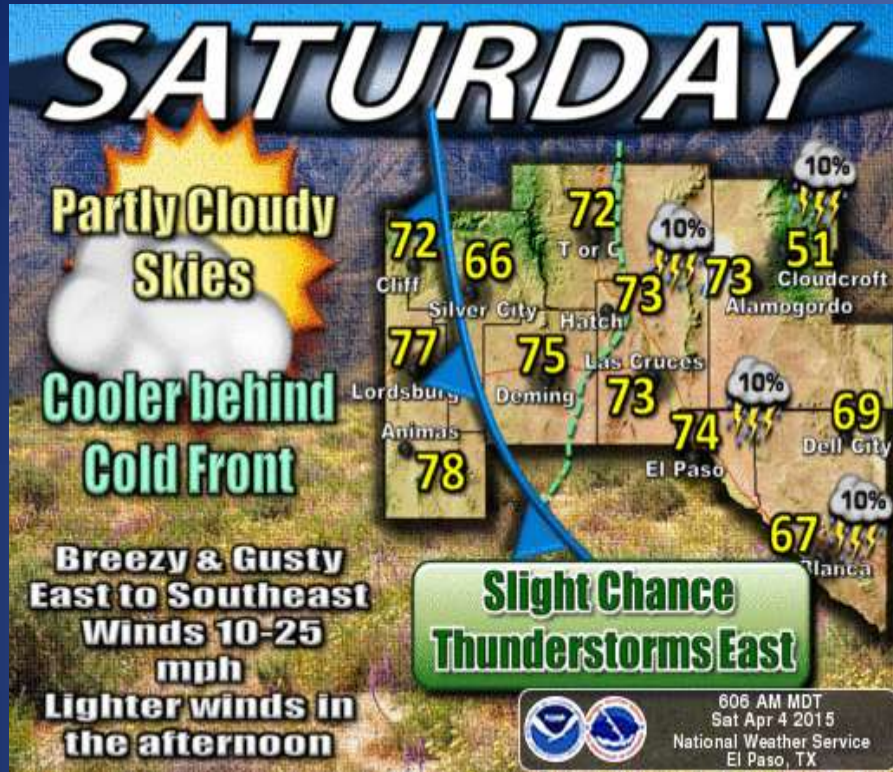
**Elevated to critical fire
weather conditions
through Tuesday.**



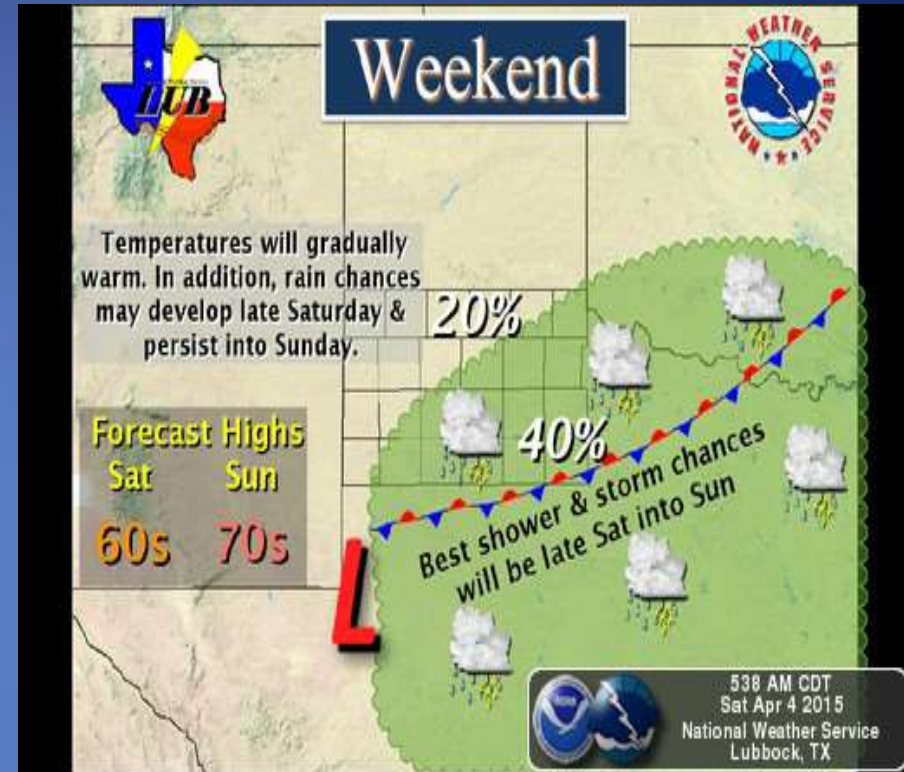
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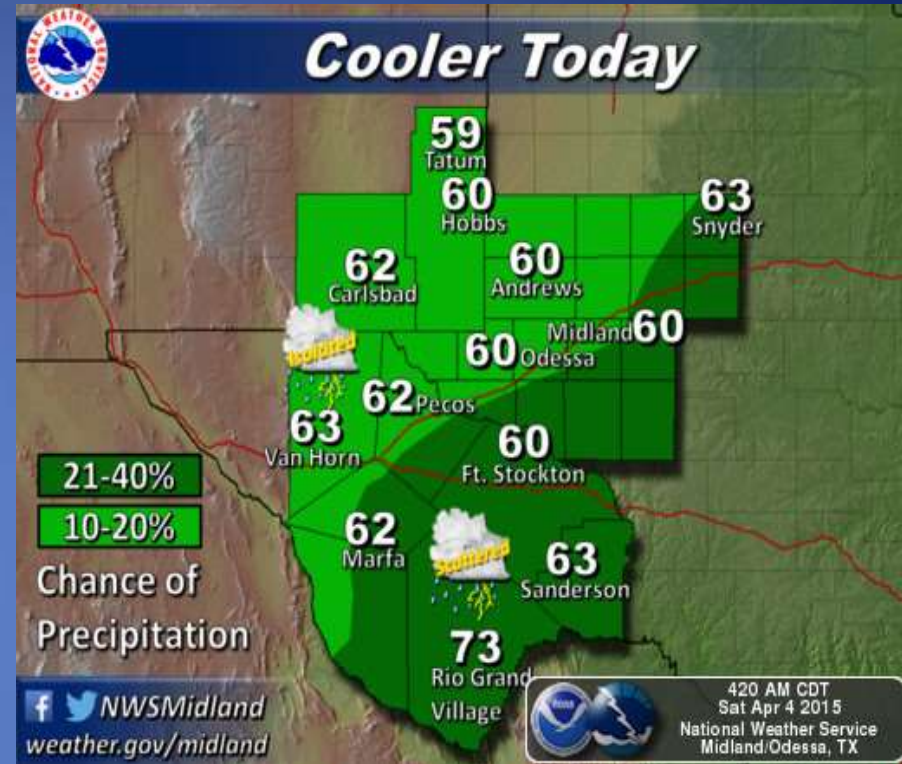


A cool front pushed west through much of the Borderland last night and this morning, producing brief gusty winds. Because of the front, temperatures will be a bit cooler today but highs will still be near normal. Low level moisture will surge in from the south and east this afternoon. This moisture combined with daytime heating, may kick off a thunderstorms or two, mainly from Deming east.



Cool temperatures will continue today under mostly cloudy skies before Easter Sunday brings much warmer conditions. Also, some showers and thunderstorms are expected by late Saturday into Easter with the greatest chances favoring the Rolling Plains.

Hazardous Weather



Northeast winds of 35 to 45 mph with gusts to around 60 mph are expected through Guadalupe Pass this morning. A High Wind Warning is in effect. Thunderstorms will be possible across all of West Texas and Southeast New Mexico tonight, but mainly along and east of a Snyder to Sanderson line. Any storms that do develop will be accompanied by frequent lightning, small hail, gusty winds, and brief, heavy rainfall.

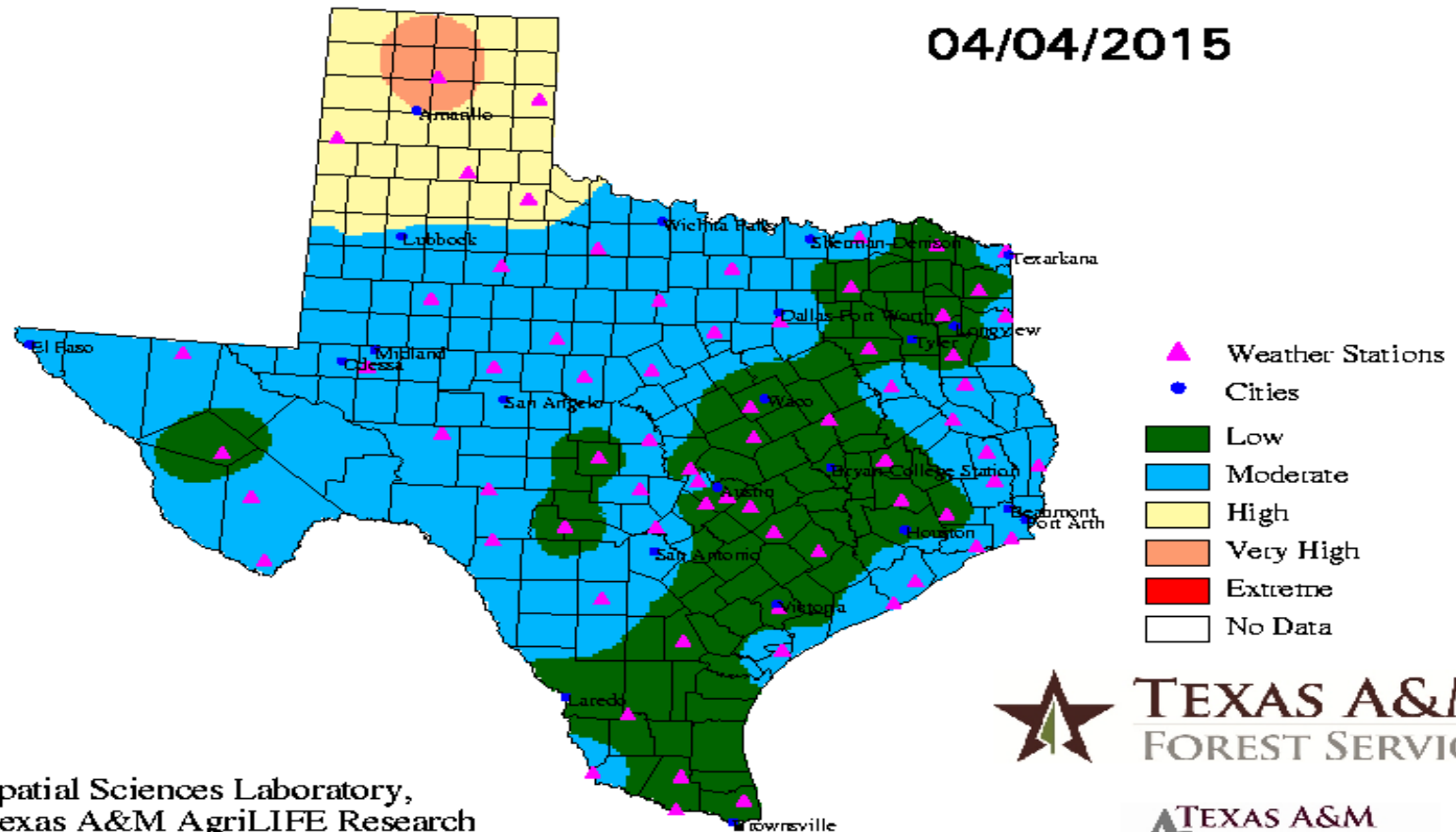
Weather Warning/Advisories/Statements/Outlooks Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/03/15	High Wind Warning	The Guadalupe Mountains, Culberson County
04/03/15	Flood Warning	Sabine River near Deweyville, Newton County; Neches River near Town Bluff, Tyler County;

Fire Danger Forecast

Forecast Fire Danger map

04/04/2015



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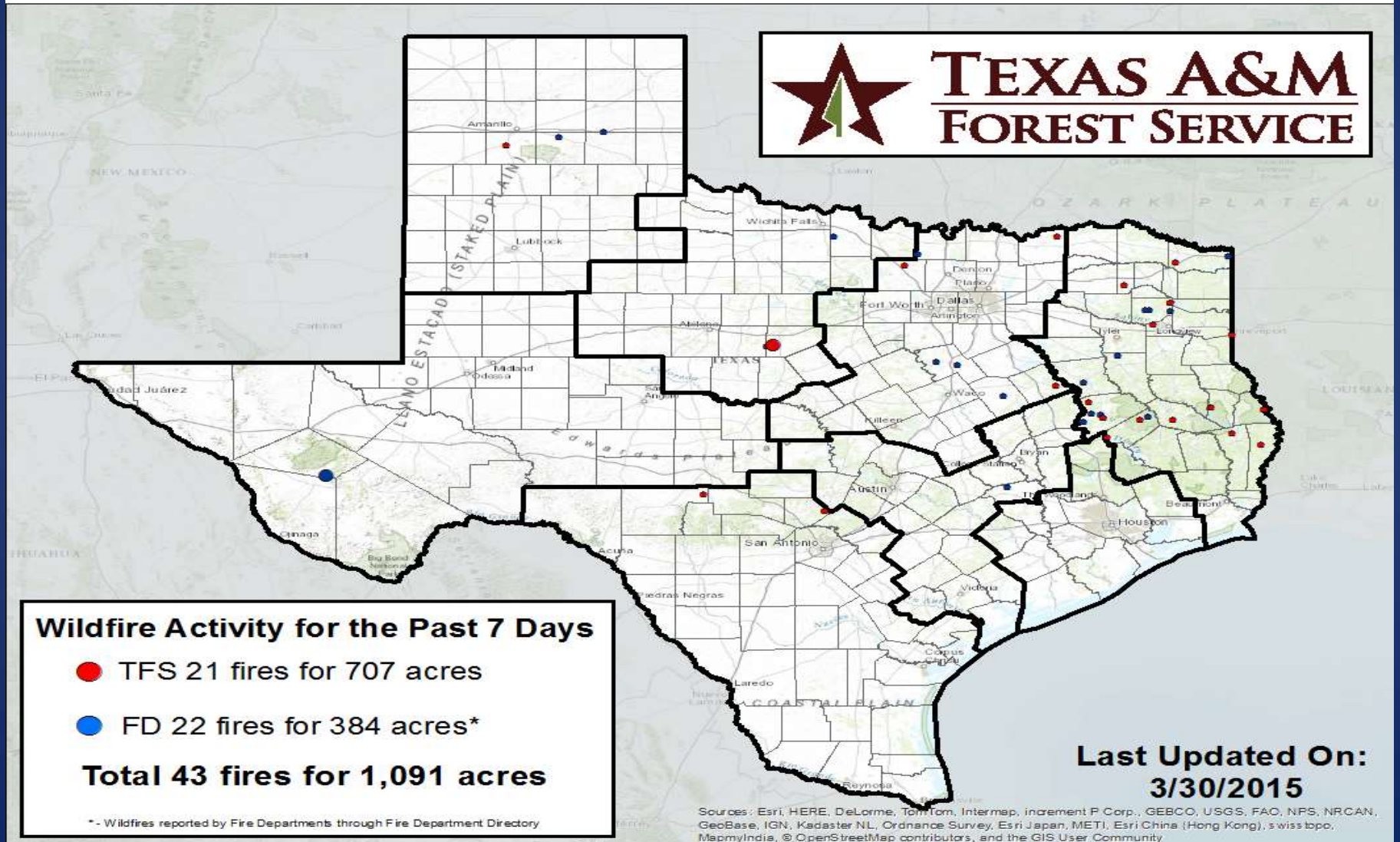
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Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Reports 153 (no change) fires and 6,133 (no change) acres destroyed this year. There are 24 (no change) counties with burn bans. The Keetch-Byram Drought Index list 9 (no change) counties with an average over 400.



Training

DATES		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
03/29/15	04/04/15	Hazardous Materials Technician for CBRNE Incidents (HT) (Program Z)	PER-261	Anniston, AL
03/29/15	04/04/15	Healthcare Leadership for All Hazards Incidents (HCL) (Program RR+ICE)	MGT-901	Anniston, AL
03/29/15	04/04/15	Hospital Emergency Response Training for Mass Casualty Incidents (HERT) (Program SS+ICE)	PER-902	Anniston, AL
04/01/15	04/03/15	Secondary Screener Radiation Isotope Identifier Device (SS/RIID)	PER-245	Las Vegas, NV
04/04/15	04/09/15	Technical Emergency Response Training for CBRNE Incidents (TERT) (Program B	PER-260	Anniston, AL

Statewide Significant Events

DATE(S)		LOCATION	EVENT
03/21/15	04/05/15	Warrenton/ Round Top	Antique Weekend